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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-referenced patent application are the following documents:

Amendment and Response to Office Action;

Petition for Extension of Time; and

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If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at telephone (617) 342-4000. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this submission to Deposit Account Number 50-3431, Attorney Reference No. 350936-0003 (AMX-001 CON); formerly 62157-010111. A duplicate of this Transmittal Letter is enclosed. Applicant is a small entity.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the November 18, 2004 Office Action in the above-identified application. Applicants file concurrently herewith a Petition for a three (3) month extension of time. With the extension, these documents are due on of before May 18, 2005.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this submission, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-3431, Attorney Ref. No. 350936-0003 (AMX-001 CON); formerly 62157-010111. Applicant is a small entity.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.